

New Mexico - Tucumcari Field Office
FY 2003 Ranking Criteria Worksheet - Grazing Lands

Applicant: _____ Farm No. _____ Tract No. _____ CMS Field No's. _____ Date: _____

Tribal Land _____ Non-Tribal Land ☒ Preliminary Rating 0 Final Rating **0.00**

1. Plants - 65 Potential Points (25% of Total)

Note: Instructions on separate sheet		% Area in Contract Before Treatment	% Area in Contract After Treatment.	Potential Points	Points - Bench Mark	Points - After
Rangelands:	SI of 76-1 00 w/trend up or not apparent	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	65		
Ecological	SI of 51-75 with upward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	60		
Site	SI of 51-75 with downward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	50		
Similarity	SI of 26-50 with upward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	40		
Index	SI of 26-50 with downward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	30		
(SI)*	SI of 0-25 with upward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	20		
	SI of 0-25 with downward trend	<input type="text"/>	% <u>+</u> <u>+</u> <u>=</u>	0		
Riparian	Use Attachment 1, 2, or 3	% Quality Bench Mark: _____	% Quality After: _____	N/A		
Grazed Forest:	Use Attachment 4	% Quality Bench Mark: _____	% Quality After: _____	N/A		
1. Plants		Total	100%	Total	100%	Total:
					0	0

2. Conservation Practice(s) Selection - 170 Potential Points (65% of Total)

Any practice used in the ranking criteria and intended to be included in the EQIP Contract must be a cost-shared practice or have an incentive payment. Higher priority (value) should be given to those practices which address multiple resource concerns, are cost effective, and have longer life spans.			Potential Points	Percent of Need to be Installed	Points - After
Soil Erosion					
Interseeding (550)			10		0.00
Critical Area Treatment (342)			15		0.00
Erosion Control Structures (362), (410)			10		0.00
Water Quantity					0.00
Brush Control Riparian Areas (314)			30		0.00
					0.00
					0.00
Plants					0.00
Brush Control Heavy (314)			30		0.00
Brush Control Medium (314)			25		0.00
Brush Control Light (314)			20		0.00
Water Development (516), (614), (642)			20		0.00
Fence (382)			25		0.00
Animals					0.00
Prescribed Grazing (528)			20		0.00
Wildlife Water (648)			5		0.00
Windbreak (380)			5		0.00
Air and Water Quality Practices are addressed in the other resource areas					
2. Conservation Practice Selection			Total:		0.00

3. Other Considerations - 25 Potential Points (10% of Total)

Below are some suggested, not required, criteria. If there are other criteria the D.C. wants to recommend based on LWG advice, please include them here.	Potential Points		Points - After
A. At risk species are in the area and the contract will enhance habitat for the species.	15		
B. Treatment of this land could have a beneficial impact on a 303d listed stream segment.	10		
C. Treatment of this land could enhance the benefits of an active sec. 319 project.	N/A		
D. This land is within a proposed sec. 319 project.	N/A		
E. Proposed contracted area will be treated to eradicate and/or prevent infestation of Class A and/or Class B noxious weeds, as designated by NMDA.	N/A		
3. Other Considerations	Total:		0.00
Producer's Signature _____		Date _____	
Designated Conservationist _____		Date _____	

